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Title: Method and System for Using a Portion of a Digital Good as a Substitution Box

AMENDMENTS

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED AUGUST 30, 2006

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated August 30, 2006, for which a one month extension for the three month statutory period for response is set for December 30, 2006. Please amend the above-captioned application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.